

ABSTRACT**A SYSTEM FOR GENERATING USAGE DATA IN A DISTRIBUTED
5 INFORMATION PROCESSING ENVIRONMENT AND METHOD THEREFOR**

10 Systems and methods for generating usage statistics in a distributed information processing environment are implemented. These include, respectively, circuitry and steps for generating usage statistical information that include, respectively circuitry and steps for starting an log file parser on each server of a set of servers in a distributed information processing environment. Usage information is retrieved from a database file generated by the log file parser, and preselected usage statistical information generated from the usage information from the database file.

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